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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE), AMENDMENT, AND RESPONSE TO **DECISION ON APPEAL DATED JULY 18, 2007**

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated July 18, 2007, Applicant hereby requests continued examination (RCE) in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Authorization for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby provides a general authorization to treat this and any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request thereof. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$790 for this RCE, and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 08-2025; Order No. 200302301-2.